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INSPECTION OF MULTI-STATE CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES BY CENTRAL REGISTRAR
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the extent of control of the Central Registrar over the Multi-State Co-operative Societies in Delhi;

(b) whether the Central Registrar carried out any inspection of these societies during the last three years;

(c) if so, the details thereof and the areas of inspection covered thereunder; and

(d) the details of complaints received against these societies during the last one year and the action taken thereon?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI SHRIPAD Y. NAIK)

(a): The multi-state cooperative societies in Delhi, like other such co-operative societies in the Country are governed by the provisions of the Multi State Co-operative Societies Act, 1984 (the Act). The Central Registrar has to discharge his functions in respect of these co-operative societies under different provisions of the Act, such as registration of amendment of bye-laws, elections, audit, inspections, enquiry, settlement of disputes etc.

(b): The powers of Central Registrar have been delegated to the concerned State Registrars of Co-operative Societies. During the year 1996-97, six societies of Delhi were inspected by the Central Registrar, Government of India. However, no such inspections were carried out during the last three years.

(c): Question does not arise.

(d): On receipt of some complaints regarding the affairs of the Cooperative Store Ltd., New Delhi (Super Bazar), the Central Registrar, Government of India instituted an inquiry into the affairs of the Super Bazar. Appropriate action, on the inquiry report has been taken under the provisions of the Act.